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BOARD OF PLUMBING AND HVACR EXAMINERS

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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF PLUMBING & HVACR EXAMINERS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, March 10, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware

Conference Room A, second floor of the Cannon

MINUTES APPROVED: April 14, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT

Charles Robbins, Professional Member, President Harold Caswell, Professional Member, Vice President Frank Beebe, Professional Member James Anderson, Public Member Craig Tenaro, Professional Member John Mills, Professional Member Sheila Littleton, Public Member John Brady, Public Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Matthew Reilly, Professional Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

Kevin Maloney, Deputy Attorney General Latonya Brown, Administrative Specialist II

OTHERS PRESENT

James Permelia, NCC

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Robbins called the meeting to order at 8:38 am.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Mr. Beebe, seconded by Mr. Tenaro, to approve the February 10, 2015 minutes. The motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Examination Applications

A motion was made by Mr. Robbins, seconded by Mr. Beebe, to approve David Bogart to take the Master HVACR Exam. The motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Robbins, seconded by Mr. Beebe, to approve Jamie Twaddell to take the Master Plumber Exam. The motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Robbins, seconded by Mr. Beebe to propose to deny the application of Dustin Clarke pending clarification of his CBC. The motion carried unanimously.

Ratification of Applications

A motion was made by Mr. Mills, seconded by Mr. Caswell to ratify the application of Byron Goodyear (Master HVACR Restricted). The motion carried unanimously.

Complaint Status

34-15-14 Open 34-16-14 Closed

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

By-Pass Exam

John Mills stated that he spoke to the Industrial Training Coordinator at Sussex Technical School District. Mr. Mills presented the Board with the NOCTI for testing in house and the bypass exam. NOCTI provides them, for a fee, a test and study guide at three different levels. Mr. Mills stated that our testing requirements should consist of the same thing. Mr. Mills stated that he was questioned by an applicant as to what guide of study could be used to prepare for the Delaware bypass exam. Ms. Brown will research NCC, Kent, and Sussex Counties to find out what test is being used, the content and who is administering the test. The Board wants all counties to utilize the 2015 code requirements and be consistent throughout the state.

Reinstatement Process

Mr. Maloney brought to the Boards attention that a "reinstatement" process may be necessary. Mr. Maloney wanted clarification on how a person who had previously been licensed, but the license expired, can reinstate or renew the license. Mr. Maloney suggested that he will draft a regulation that implements 1825(c) and present it to the Board to review at the next meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. Davidson provided the Board with a draft of the new 2015 Delaware plumbing code/amendments for review and comment.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next board meeting will be held on April 14, 2015 at 8:30 a.m. in Conference Room A, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Beebe seconded Mr. Caswell, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 9:41 am.

Respectfully submitted,

LaTonya Brown

Administrative Specialist II